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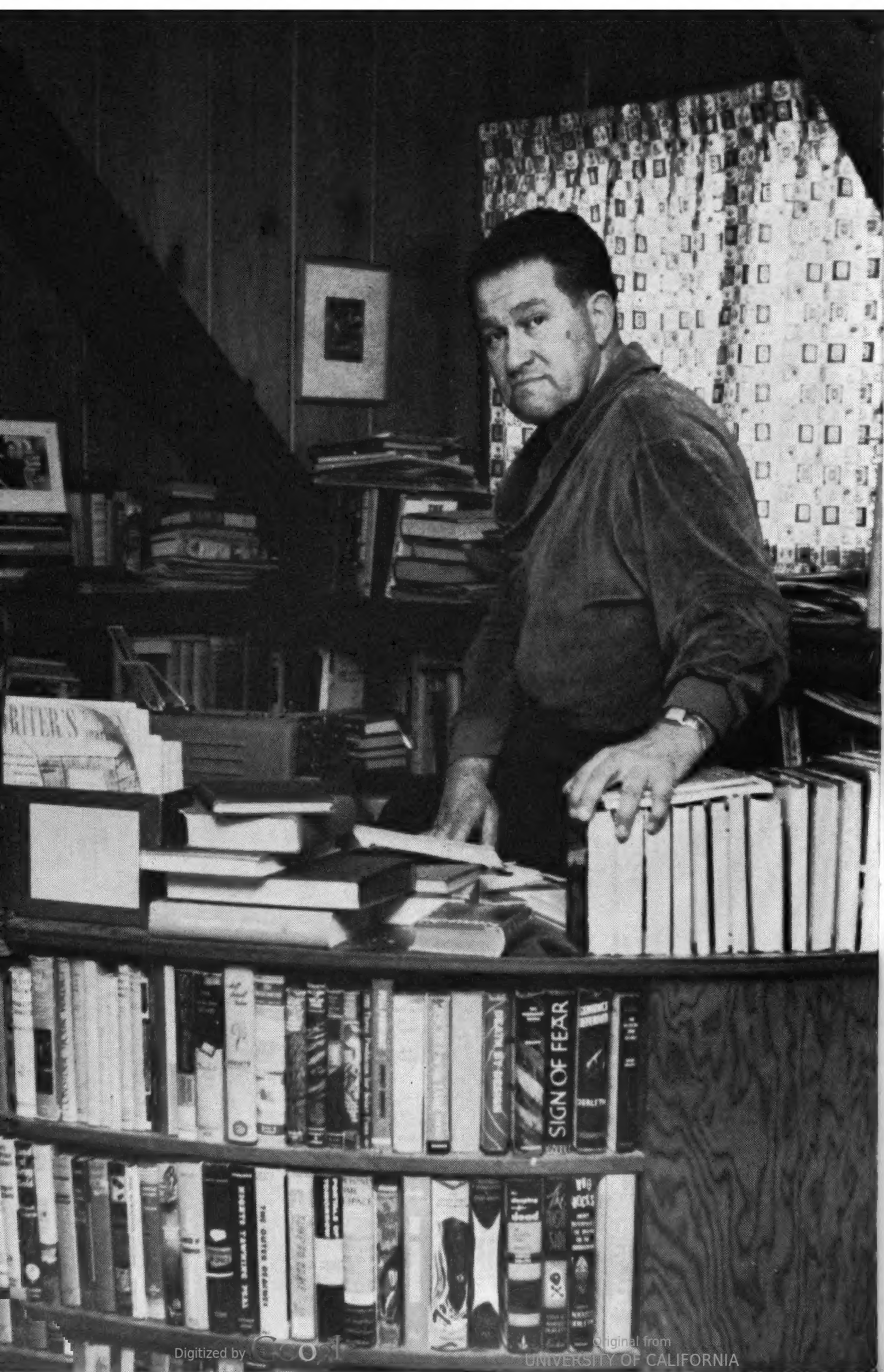
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Foreword

Authors who celebrate publication of their one-hundredth book are never a numerous company. Even then their ranks are usually filled with writers who specialize in some type of popular novel—detective, romance, western, etc. The hierarchy comprises a few authors of serious purpose whose probing minds and questing search range across the whole of man's potential.

This variety of interest makes it impossible to identify the work of August Derleth by any label or to classify him easily—he is *sui generis*. But it has also made possible the scale and scope of the works in many fields that complete his first hundred books.

To many readers August Derleth is a regional author

because he has chronicled extensively the people, lore, events and background of his native "Sac Prairie" (Sauk City-Prairie du Sac) in particular, Wisconsin in general. To others he is a poet of nature with a keen eye and a sharp ear for the wonderworld around him. Still others know him as a foremost anthologist of macabre tales and science-fiction. Devotees of fantasy and the supernatural cherish his own stories of eerie unease collected into several volumes. Connoisseurs of detection follow the exploits of his Solar Pons, while the tastes of still other readers turn to his biographies, histories, books of childhood verse, or juvenile and teen-age adventures.

August Derleth's achievement is indeed remarkable—his hundredth book in his 54th year. It is also its own testimony to his immense energy and hard labors, to his fertile imagination combined with perception in depth, to his self-discipline and his genius at organization. Yet his hundredth book, landmark though it is, represents only the link of continuity, with more to come.

The highest expression of creative genius in any of the arts has always concerned itself with three basic problems common to all mankind: the individual's understanding of himself; his relationship to his fellow-men; and his place in the universe. All three concerns interweave through the short stories, novels, poems, and miscellaneous prose of August Derleth. But only the distant verdict of time can determine which of his works

will have the most enduring value, the permanence of
perpetuity. Very likely these will be found not only in
the books listed herein, but among other major works in
progress, when these are published among the second
hundred.

DONALD WANDREI

St. Paul, Minnesota

June 17, 1962

Biographical

Born, Sauk City, Wisconsin, February 24, 1909, son of William Julius and Rose Louise (Volk) Derleth, of primarily German (Bavarian) ancestry, with a French background (Derleth presumably from the French d'Erlette).

Began writing at 13, sold first story (*Bat's Belfry*) to *Weird Tales*, at 15, saw it published April 1, 1926 in the May 1926 issue of *Weird Tales*. First serious work published in *The Midland* (*Old Ladies*) and *This Quarter* (*Paris, Confessions*) in 1932. First book (*Murder Stalks the Wakely Family*) published by Loring & Mussey, February 1934; first serious fiction in book form (*Place of Hawks*), published by Loring & Mussey, May 1935. First collection of poetry (*Hawk on the*

Wind) brought out by Ritten House, 1938. First novel in the Sac Prairie Saga (*Still Is the Summer Night*) published by Charles Scribner's Sons, 1937.

Education: St. Aloysius Parochial School and Sauk City High School. B.A., University of Wisconsin, 1930. Studied under Helen Constance White, Paul Fulcher, R. E. Neil Dodge, Miles Hanley.

Guggenheim Fellowship, 1938, sponsored by Helen Constance White, Sinclair Lewis, Edgar Lee Masters. . . . Knight of the Golden Quill, Milwaukee Press Club. . . . Lecturer in American Regional Literature, University of Wisconsin, 1939-1943; Writers' Institute, University of Wisconsin, 1958, 1959. . . . Director and Clerk, Board of Education, Sauk City, Wisconsin: 1937-1943. . . . Contributing Editor, *Outdoors Magazine*: 1934-1943. . . . Literary Editor, *The Capital Times* (Madison, Wisconsin), 1941 et seq. . . . Associate Editor, *Mystic Magazine*: 1930-1931; *The Midwestern*, 1931. . . . Editor, *The Arkham Sampler*, 1948-1949, *Hawk & Whippoorwill*, 1960-1963.—Owner-Editor, Arkham House: Publishers (with associated imprints: Mycroft & Moran, Stanton & Lee), 1939 et seq. . . . Columnist (*Wisconsin Diary*) for *The Capital Times*, 1960 onward.

Winner of the \$1,000.00 First Prize in the *Scholastic Magazine* Short Story Contest, 1958, with *The Tail of the Dog*. . . . Recipient of the Apostolic Blessing of Pope John XXIII for his part in the creation of the Wi-

sion Books series (*Father Marquette and the Great Rivers, St. Ignatius and the Company of Jesus, Columbus and the New World*), 1959.

Literary influences: H. P. Lovecraft, Edgar Lee Masters, Sherwood Anderson, Thomas Hardy, H. L. Mencken, Robert Frost. . . . Spent the summer of 1931 in collaboration with Mark Schorer on a collection of macabre stories for magazine publication (*Weird Tales, Strange Stories, Strange Tales*) and book form (*Colonel Markesan and Less Pleasant People*). . . . Completed, from outline or notes, stories by H. P. Lovecraft (*The Lurker at the Threshold, The Survivor and Others, The Shuttered Room*).

Member: The Author's Guild, The Baker Street Irregulars, The Cliff-Dwellers, The Fortean Society, The Fossils, Midland Authors, The Poetry Society of America, The State Historical Society of Wisconsin, The United Amateur Press Association, The International Institute of Arts and Letters.

Married Sandra Evelyn Winters (daughter of Millard and Roberta Alexander Winters), April 6, 1953, whom he divorced March 23, 1959, winning sole custody of his children, April Rose, born August 9, 1954, and Walden William, born August 22, 1956.

Hobbies: walking, gathering mushrooms (he spends the entire month of May collecting and drying morels), swimming, stamp-collecting (American commemoratives

principally), collecting comics, strips, panels, pages, books (he believes he owns the largest collection of selected comics in the world), and, to a lesser extent, chess. Reading has always been a consuming passion; his personal library consists of approximately 12,000 books, with special collections of fantasy, detective stories, American regional literature.

Home: Place of Hawks, Sauk City, Wisconsin.

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From *Twentieth Century Authors*, edited by Stanley J. Kunitz and Howard Haycraft. The H. W. Wilson Company, New York, 1942—

"O'Brien Honor Roll for short story (*Five Alone*), 1933. . . . This dizzying font of energy is a burly-chested blond, a champion letter-writer to the press, the watchdog of village politics, on which he writes and distributes broadsides. In spite of his incredible prolificity, his work, including his poetry, is not superficial, and he is considered a leading authority on regionalism in American literature. His Judge Peck mysteries are among the best of their kind. . . . About: *Hobbies*, November 1940 and June 1945; *Scholastic*, November 25, 1940; *Time*, October 30, 1939."

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August Derleth is also listed in *Who's Who in*

America, the A. N. Marquis Company, Chicago, from 1933 forward; *The Oxford Companion to American Literature*, by James D. Hart, Oxford University Press, 1941, 1945; *Webster's Biographical Dictionary*, G. & C. Merriam Company, Springfield, 1943; *America's Young Men*, Volume III, Los Angeles, 1938; *Who's Who Among North American Authors*, edited by Alberta Lawrence, Los Angeles, 1939; *The American Catholic Who's Who*, Detroit, 1943; *American Authors and Books: 1640-1940*, by W. J. Burke and Will D. Howe, Gramercy Publishing Company, New York, 1943; *The Reader's Encyclopedia*, edited by William Rose Benét, Thomas Y. Crowell Company, New York, 1948; *American Novelists of Today*, by Harry R. Warfel, American Book Company, 1951; *Pine, Stream and Prairie*, by James Gray, Alfred A. Knopf, New York, 1945; *The Little Magazines*, by Frederick J. Hoffman, Charles Allen, Carolyn F. Ulrich, Princeton University Press, Princeton, 1946; *Wisconsin: A Guide to the Badger State*, American Guide Series, Duell, Sloan & Pearce, New York, 1941; *The American Historical Novel*, by Ernest E. Leisy, University of Oklahoma Press, Norman, 1950; *Wisconsin: A Story of Progress*, by William F. Raney, Prentice-Hall, New York, 1940; *America in Fiction*, by Otis W. Coan and Richard G. Lillard, Stanford University Press, Stanford, 1949; *The Middle Western Historical Novel*, by John T. Flanagan, *Journal of the Illi-*

nois State Historical Society, March, 1944; Cavalcade of the American Novel, by Edward Wagenknecht, Holt, New York, 1952; A Wisconsin Balzac, by Zealia Bishop, in The Curse of Yig, Arkham House, 1953; Contemporary Authors, Gale Research Company, 1962.

Bibliographical

Short stories, essays, reviews, miscellaneous prose, or poetry have appeared under the byline of August Derleth or one of his pen names since April 1, 1926, in these magazines and newspapers or occasional reference works in cloth covers—

Accent

The Alchemist

Alentour

Alfred Hitchcock's Mystery Magazine

Alien Culture

All Fiction Magazine

The All Story Braille Magazine

Amaryllis

Amazing Stories

The American Author

American Bard

American Comics

American Fireside

The American Mercury

The American People's Encyclopedia

The American Poet

The American Poetry Annual

American Poetry Journal

American Poetry Magazine

American Prefaces

The American Scene

The American Story

American Weave

The American Weekly

The American Year Book

Amra

Amrita Bazar Patrika (India)

The Anvil

The Archer

The Arkham Sampler

Arrow

Arts in Society

The Atlantic Monthly

Author & Journalist

Avon Fantasy Reader

Badger History

The Baker Street Gasogene

The Baker Street Journal

The Bangor News

The Bard

The Beloit Poetry Journal
The Berkeley Magazine
Blue Moon
The Bombay Free Press Bulletin (India)
The Book Collector's Packet
The Book Parade
Book Week
The Boston Globe Magazine
The Brooklyn Eagle Magazine
Buenos Aires Critica (Argentina)

Canadian Countryman
Candor
The Capital Times
Capper's Farmer
Caravan
The Catholic World
The Centaur
Central Exchange Messenger
Characters
Chaparral Poets
Cheshire
The Chicago-American
The Chicago Sun
The Chicago Tribune
Children's Digest
Chimerical Review

The Christian Science Monitor
Ciencia y Fantasia (Mexico)
Ciudad Jaurez El Mexicano (Mexico)
The Clearwater News
The Cleveland News
College English
The Colorado Quarterly
Compass
The Commonweal
Contempo
Contemporary Poetry
Coronet
Country Bard
Country Beautiful
The Country Book
The Country Gentleman
Country Guide (Canada)
The Country Poet
Creative Writing
Creative Wisconsin
The Cresset
Cycle

The Dalhousie Review (Canada)
The Dallas Times-Herald
Dansk Familie Blad (Denmark)
Decade

Decimal
Decision
Demcourier
Detective Trails
The Detroit Free Press
The Detroit Times
Diario Latino (San Salvador)
Dictionary of American Biography
Dictionary of Wisconsin Biography
Different
Direction
The Djakarta Star Weekly (Indonesia)
Double-Action Detective
Drafts
The Dragnet
The Dragon-Fly
Driftwind
Driftwood
Dutton's News of Books

Echo
Ed McBain's Mystery Book
El Diario de Nueva York
Elizabeth
Ellery Queen's Mystery Magazine
The English Journal
Epos

Lissance
Expression
Extension Magazine

Famous Fantastic Mysteries
Fanciful Tales
Fantascienza (Italy)
Fantastic
Fantastic Adventures
Fantastic Adventures Quarterly
Fantastic Universe
Fantastic Worlds
Fantasy
The Fantasy Fan
Fantasy Fiction Field
Fantasy Review
Far Afield
The Farm Journal
The Fawnlight
Fiction: Fantastique (France)
The Fiddlehead (Canada)
Flame
Folio
The Ford Times
Forward
Forum
The Fossil

Four Quarters
Fresco
Fresco Sampler
The Friend
The Frontier
Frontier and Midland

The Galleon
The Galley Sail Review
Gangster Stories
The Gargoyle
Garret
Genesis
The Ghost
The Ghoul
Golden Atom
Good Housekeeping
Göteborg-Tidningen (Sweden)
Grit
Guatemala City El Espectador (Guatemala)
Guayaquil El Universo (Ecuador)

The Half Moon
Hawk & Whippoorwill
Hill Trails
Hinterland
Hobbies

Hocus
Holiday
Household Magazine
Hudson River Magazine
Hunted
The Husk
Husk Anthology

If: Worlds of Science-Fiction
Il Giorno Dei Poeti (Italy)
The Indian P. E. N.
Info
Inside

JD-Argassy

Kaleidograph
The Kansas City Star
The Kingston Daily Gleaner (British West Indies)
Kosmos

L'Alouette
The Lantern
La Opinion De La Tarde (Mexico)
La Petite

La Prensa (Mexico)
Leaves
Les Loisiers (France)
Life Story
Lights Out
Lima La Cronica (Peru)
The Lion and the Unicorn
The Literary Amateur
Literary America
The Literary Arts
Literary Calendar
Literary Cavalcade
The Literary Monthly
The Literary Preview
The Literary Review
Literature
The Little Magazine
Littletown
The Living Age
Living Poetry
The London Daily Express (England)
The Los Angeles Examiner
The Lovecraft Collector
The Lyric
Lynx

Macabre

The Magazine of Books
The Magazine of Fantasy and Science-Fiction
The Magic Carpet
The Manila Times (Philippine Islands)
Manuscript
Manuscripts
Maracaibo Diario De Occidente (Venezuela)
The Mark Twain Quarterly
Marvel Tales
Masque
Masterplots
Matrix
McClurg's Book News
The Medallion
The Midland
Midland Poetry Review
Midwest
Midwest: A Review
Mid-West Story
The Midwestern
The Mill
The Milwaukee Journal
The Milwaukee Sentinel
Mind Magic
The Minnesota Quarterly
Mirage
Modern America

Modern Story
The Modern Thinker
Monterrey El Porvenir (Mexico)
Moods
Motive
Muse
Musings
The Mysterious Traveller

Narraciones Terrorificas (Argentina)
The Nashua Cavalier
Nature Magazine
Nebulae
Nero Wolfe Mystery Magazine
The Newark Ledger
The New Day
New Frontiers
The New Hampshire Troubadour
New Horizons
The New Idea
The New Mexico Sentinel
The New Quarterly
The New Republic
New Stories (England)
New Writers
The New Yorker
The New York Herald-Tribune

The New York Journal-American
New Verse
1933: A Year Magazine
Northwest Life
The Notebook
Novelle Magazinet (Denmark)
Nuggets

Oak Leaves
Once a Year
100
Orbit Science-Fiction
Oriental Stories
Outdoors
The Outlander
Outré

Pagany
Palisade
Parade
The Passenger Pigeon
Patterns
Pegasus
The Pendulum
The Phantagraph
Phantom (England)
Phenix

The Phi Kappa Phi Journal
The Philadelphia Record
The Pioneer Press
Pirate's Gold
The Pittsburgh Press
The Pittsburgh Sun Telegraph
Poet Lore
Poetry: A Magazine of Verse
Poetry Caravan
The Poetry Chapbook
Poetry Digest
The Poetry Forum
Poetry Presents
Poetry World
The Poets' Log-Book
Pollen
The Prairie Poet
Prairie Prose
Prairie Schooner
The Progressive Farmer
The Publisher's Weekly
Pursuit

Quest
Quickening Seed
Quicksilver
Quito El Commericia (Ecuador)

Read
Reader's Scope
Reading and Collecting
Real America
Real Detective
Redbook Magazine
The Redwood Monthly
Reflections
Report to Writers
Rio Grafico (Brazil)
River
The Rocking Horse
Rural Progress

The Saint Detective Magazine
The Saint Louis Post-Dispatch
The Saint Mystery Library
The Saint Mystery Magazine
The Sauk-Prairie Star
The Saturday Review
Saturn
Scarlet Cockerel
Scholastic
Scholastic Practical English
Scimitar & Song
Scribner's Magazine
Script

Senior Scholastic
S.F. (Japan)
Shards
Shenandoah
Shivers
Short Story Magazine (Australia)
The Sight-Giver
The Silver Bough
The Sioux City Journal
Sky Hook
Song and Story
Sonnet Sequences
Space
Spaceway
Spaceways
The Span
Sparks Afar
The Sparrow Magazine
Spearhead
The Spectator
Spirit
The Spokane Spokesman Review
The Spokesman
Stag
Story
Strange Stories
Strange Tales

The Stylus
Sundial

Talaria
Talisman
The Tanager
Ten-Story Book
Ten-Story Fantasy
Think
This Quarter
Thoreau Society Bulletin
Tomorrow
Tone
Top-Notch Detective
The Torchlight
The Toronto Star (Canada)
Trails
Trend
True Mystic Crimes
The Tryout

The University of Kansas City Review
Utopia

The Vagabond
Vecko Revyn (Sweden)
Ventura

Versecraft
Verseland
Vernier
Vespers
Vi Menn (Norway)
The Voice of St. Jude
Voices

The Walther League Messenger
The Washington Post
Weird Tales
Welcome News
West Kensington News (England)
Western Folklore
Western Poetry
The Western Rustler
The Westminster Magazine
Westward
Whispers
The Wichita Beacon
The Wilderness News
Windsor Pamphlets
The Windsor Quarterly
Wings
The Wisconsin Alumnus
Wisconsin Literary Magazine
Wisconsin Magazine of History

The Wisconsin Octopus
Wisconsin Outdoors
Wisconsin Planning Board Bulletin
Wisconsin Poetry Magazine
The Wisconsin State Journal
Wisconsin Tales & Trails
Woman's Journal (England)
Wonder Stories
The World in Books
The Writer
Writer's Digest
The Writer's Review

The Yale Review
Yankee
Yankee Poetry Chapbook
The Youngstown Vindicator

Zephyrs

(Not included in this listing are piracies, like those of the Cuban weekly, *Carteles*, or any other unwarranted printings.)

A Checklist of Published Books

In the following list only cloth- or board-bound volumes are numbered, with the exception of reprints, which, though cloth-bound, are not separately counted as "new" works—i.e., *Wisconsin Earth*.

THE HERITAGE OF SAUK CITY. Preface (and alterations) by E. K. Hayes. The Pioneer Press, Sauk City, Wisconsin, 1931. 37 pp., \$1.00. o. p.

TO REMEMBER, by August W. Derleth. Windsor Pamphlet No. 2, Windsor Quarterly Publications, Hartland Four Corners, Vermont, 1931. (Together with *Salute Before Dawn*, by Albert Edward Clements.) 29 pp., \$.50. o. p.

1. **MURDER STALKS THE WAKELY FAMILY**, by August W. Derleth. Loring & Mussey, New York, 1934. 239 pp., \$2.00. / English edition titled **DEATH STALKS THE WAKELY FAMILY**. Newnes, London, 1937. 2/6. o. p.
2. **THE MAN ON ALL FOURS**, by August W. Derleth. Loring & Mussey, New York, 1934. 244 pp., \$2.00. / English edition, Newnes, London, 1936. 2/6. o. p.
3. **THREE WHO DIED**, by August W. Derleth. Loring & Mussey, New York, 1935. 232 pp., \$2.00. o. p.
4. **PLACE OF HAWKS**, by August W. Derleth. Loring & Mussey, New York, 1935. (Containing: *Five Alone* / *Farway House* / *Nine Strands in a Web* / *Place of Hawks*.) Illustrated with wood-engravings by George Barford. Jacket and frontispiece by Frank Utpatel. 250 pp., \$2.50. o. p. / Reprinted, 1948, in **WISCONSIN EARTH**.
5. **SIGN OF FEAR**, by August W. Derleth. Loring & Mussey, New York, 1935. 283 pp., \$2.00. / English edition, Newnes, London, 1936. 2/6. o. p.
6. **STILL IS THE SUMMER NIGHT**, by August Derleth. Charles Scribner's Sons, New York, 1937. 356 pp., \$2.50, \$3.50.

7. **CONSIDER YOUR VERDICT**, as by Tally Mason. Stackpole Sons, New York, 1937. (Containing: *The Procedure* / *The Cases—Passing of Mr. Eric Monroe* / — *An End to Harmony* / — *The Tiny Detail* / — *At the End of the Path* / — *Time Marches On* / — *Found Dead* / — *Sin of Omission* / — *Vengeance Is Sweet* / — *Mr. Tory Dies* / — *His Voice Forever Stilled* / *Your Verdicts All!*) 125 pp., \$1.25. o. p.

8. **POETRY OUT OF WISCONSIN**, edited by August Derleth and Raymond E. F. Larsson. Henry Harrison, New York, 1937. (Containing: *White Blossoms*, by Olga Achtenhagen / *Sonnet*, by Mary Mathews Adams / *The New Calf*, by Dana Kneeland Akers / *The Round River Drive*, by William N. Allen / *Im Exil*, by Mathilde Anneke / *Taxi, Evening in May*, by Margaret Ashmun / *Portrait in the Horizontal, Bluebeard, She Looks Beyond Tomorrow, Possessed, Comfort, To Madison*, by Ruth Fitch Bartlett / *At the Birthplace of Robert Marion LaFollette*, by Albert O. Barton / *Und Dann Kommt Die Sehnsucht Leise*, by Kurt Baum / *Autumn*, by Cora Blakeslee Beebe / *Outcast*, by Eulalie Beffel / *In the Sweet Bye and Bye*, by S. F. Bennett / *The Moon*, by Edith Grace Berkness / *I Cannot Trust Myself*, by Richard Biederman / *Dead Birds and Decadent Poets*, by Carroll Blair / *Commentary on Joel*, by Carl Bode / *A Perfect Day*, by Carrie Jacobs Bond / *The Life of Riley, Empty, The Choice, The Warmth of*

Memory, Youth, by Berton Braley / *Preludes to 1833*, by Baker Brownell / *Aaron Steele, Lazarus Silverloom*, by Herbert Bruncken / *Ode to a Strawstack*, by Ruth Leonard Buche / *Alcestis to Admetus, Cards in Church*, by James Davie Butler / *The Trees*, by Josephine Byington / *The Arms of Grief, Winter Night, In the Cool of the Evening, Tu Ne Quaesieris*, by Clinch Calkins / *Portrait of a Dead Lady*, by Robert Carey / *Lines Written with a Pencil on my Children's Tomb*, by Carrie Carlton / *Wisconsin Farmer, Haunted*, by Beulah Charmley / *Mirrors*, by Alta Pomeroy Churchill / *Drought*, by Ida C. Clark / *Invocations to the Muses, Boating Song at Evening*, by Grant Hyde Code / *Haven*, by Ella Stratton Colbo / *Homecoming*, by Hazel Rawson Collins / *Via Solitaria*, by O. M. Conover / *Koshkonong*, by Amanda Luse Cornwall / *Youth, The Guarded Wound, The Warning, Triad, Song, Blue Hyacinths, The Lonely Death, Dirge, Expenses*, by Adelaide Crapsey / *Reflets Dans L'Eau, Bleak and Pink Airs*, by Leslie Cross / *The Old Turnpike*, by Abby Allin Curtis / *Boscobel, Spring at Prairie du Chien*, by James J. Daly / *An August Morning by the Lake*, by John Nelson Davidson / *Twilight*, by William Dawson / *The Lesson of the Rose*, by Elizabeth Dayton / *Man Track Here, Spring Evening: Wild Crabapple Blooming, Perhaps Never, The Dam Builder, Wisconsin Whippoorwill, Elegy: In Providence the Spring . . . , Evenings*, by August Derleth /

Sonnet, by Vera Wardner Dougan / *The Mourning Dove*, *Noontide*, *To Pere Marquette*, by Bernard I. Durward / *Urgency*, *Worldly Wisdom: III*, by John Durward / *Prayer for Peace*, by Olyette Ellis / *Return*, *Transmutations*, by Norbert Engels / *At the Last*, *For Thomas Walsh*, by Vincent Dave Engels / *The Forces Are Gathering*, by William Louis Engels / *Timothy Brown*, by Sister Mary Eugene / *Escape*, *Longshot Blues*, by Kenneth Fearing / *Autumn Soliloquy*, by Robert Austin Fish / *Songs of the Sea: Home Tides*, by Edith Medberry Fitch / *Notes on the Next War*, by Marion Fleischer / *Christmas, I Am Not Distressed*, by Katherine Forkin / *Silenced*, *Mona Lisa*, *Carrying Christ*, by Ruth Mary Fox / *Farewell All Simple Joys*, *Sonnet*, *Adolescence*, *Among Those Lost*, by Kimon Friar / *Fencing Fantasy*, by Gertrude Friedman / *Old Talk*, *There Are Within Us Lives We Never Live*, *Return*, *Epitaph*, *Contours*, by Zona Gale / *November*, by Alfred Galpin / *Dreams of My Old Home*, by Lillian Gardisky / *The Young Priest to His Hands*, by Edward F. Garesche / *The Cool Gray Jug*, *November*, *A Summer Mood*, *Prairie Pioneers*, *Plowing*, *The End of the Trail*, by Hamlin Garland / *Island Love Song*, *December*, by Clifford Gessler / *Rending the Veil*, *Brother*, by John Gill / *Unlike Beatrice*, by Edna Goeden / *When We Played in Tyranena*, *Long Ago*, by Floretta Greeley / *Clover*, by Emma Green / *Autumn in the Four-Lake Country*, by Charles

Noble Gregory / from: *A Beauty of Thebes, A Grave in the Sunlight*, by John Goadby Gregory / *Snow in the Loop, Spring Day in March*, by Mary Grier / *Mountain Mist*, by Hattie Tyng Griswold / *Wisdom*, by Ione Sorenson Haals / *To Washington in the Blue Ridge*, by Anne Scribner Hard / *To One Elect, Two Poems for Courage, Sestina*, by S. Ichiye Hayakawa / *Ode to a Hermit Thrush, Sky and Water, To Mary Torrey Roudebush: 1893-1927, Chiaroscuro: To a January Wind from the Rockies*, by Katharine Shepard Hayden / *Frank Lloyd Wright*, by Eldon Heath / *Disturbers, Gulf of Saint Lawrence, Autumnal Migration, Visit to Erebus*, by John Vincent Healy / *Little Joe*, by J. R. Henderson / *A Dancer, I Mourn the Dead, Grief, Scene from Hamlet, A Wary Woman, Memorabilia*, by Leon Serabian Herald / *Wisconsin Earth*, by Eugene Hermann / *Memory*, by Sister Mary Hester / *Mysterious Music of the Gulf Coast*, by Laura Feuling Hinsdale / *Young Mother's Song*, by Ula Elwell Hoen / *Farms, Heritage*, by George E. Hoffman / *Young Nun, Spring Planting*, by Jessie Holt / *Make Thy Petition Deep!*, by Anna Hoppe / *War Music, Happiness Betrays Me, Estuaries of Fire, Fire-Vine, The Stone-Age Sea, Since I Have Felt the Sense of Death, The New-Born*, by Helen Hoyt / *Winged Victory*, by Eleanor Hughes / *Transition*, by Zida C. Ivey / *Magdalen's Song, Untimed, In Late Snow, November, Epilogue, The Departure, Message from a Bridge*, by Sister

Mary Jeremy / *Forest*, by Anna French Johnson
 / *The Case Is Closed, Astronomy, Dead March*,
 by Howard Mumford Jones / *The Infidels*, by
 Russell Jones / *A Psalm of Life*, by William
 Frederick Kirk / *Winnebagos Are Gone*, by Ray
 Koubeck / *An Mein Vaterland*, by Conrad Krez
 / *Tiller of the Soil*, by Ruth Anna Kurth / *Vis-
 itor, Hewn Forest, From One in the Bread Line*,
 by Katherine Mary Lane / *To Two Men of
 Alien Gods, Elegy in Memory of My Mother:
 On a Leaf, It Is a Bird the Moon, Evening-Song
 in Common Words, Address from the Wings,
 Hawkwise the Wind: The Hawk Windwise, The
 Poplars, He Walks) the Wind*, by Raymond E.
 F. Larsson / *Reflections of a Truth Seeker, En-
 gidu, The Lost Prophet*, by Lillian Laschka / *I
 Hear Paul Bunyan*, by Louise Leighton / *The
 Little Girl I Used To Be*, by Clara Clough Len-
 root / *Four Sonnets, Indian Summer, Rain, The
 White Metropolis, Xaipe Ows!*, by William El-
 lery Leonard / *You Are Serene*, by Dorothy Lit-
 tel / *Hymn to St. Dominic*, by M. J. Lochemes
 / *A Lullaby*, by M. Thomas Lucareli / *Horace
 Greeley*, by S. S. Luce and H. G. Luce / *Riddles
 One, Two and Three, Knights-Errant, Proud
 Boast, The Young Priest's Mother, Penelope, As
 One Finding Peace, California Spring, Hyeres
 from Sainte Claire Le Chateau, Dialogue*, by
 Sister Mary Madeleva / *Chromatic, Mnemonic*,
 by Sarah Trousdale Mallory / *Rondeau*, by L.
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THE MILL CREEK IRREGULARS

THE PINKERTONS RIDE AGAIN

THE GHOST OF BLACK HAWK ISLAND

THE TENT SHOW SUMMER

Recordings

PSYCHE: A Sequence of Love Lyrics: Cuca K-1001. Cuca
Record Company, Sauk City, Wisconsin, 1960. \$5.98.

SUGAR BUSH BY MOONLIGHT, and Other Poems
of Man and Nature. Cuca Record Company, Sauk City,
Wisconsin, 1962. (Containing: *Sugar Bush by Moon-
light / April Brook / Woodcock Weather / Minnows
Rising / Twilight Whippoorwill / Apples by Snow-
fall / The Spider in the Lamp / Old Barn / Midnight
Owl / Possession / Three Deer Mice / Morning After
Frost / Woodpile / The Alders in the Window / Deer*

in Snow / Brook Talk / Hawk on the Wind / The Mailbox among the Flowers / Lonely Place / The Light in the Haymow / Cricket Chime / Man Track Here / The Planetary Arc-Light / Pewee / Windy Trees and Evening Star / Evening Train / Country Places / Haybarn in Winter / Frogs in Wintertime / On a Hawk Startled from His Nest / Two Rails / Veery / Sirius: Midnight / Mushrooms / On a Locomotive Heard in the Forest / Owl Tree / Pickerel Water / Unknown Bird / New Moon: November / Cactus Bluff: Midnight / Everything as Before / All Tomorrows Become Yesterdays: A Contemplation / Eine Kleine Nachtmusik.) \$3.98.

Compilations

In addition to books numbered on the *Checklist*, August Derleth has compiled and/or written introductions for these books—

With Donald Wandrei

THE OUTSIDER AND OTHERS, by H. P. Lovecraft (1939)

BEYOND THE WALL OF SLEEP, by H. P. Lovecraft (1943)

MARGINALIA, by H. P. Lovecraft (1944)

SELECTED LETTERS OF H. P. LOVECRAFT
(forthcoming)

JUMBEE AND OTHER UNCANNY TALES, by
 Henry S. Whitehead (1944)
GREEN TEA AND OTHER GHOST STORIES,
 by J. Sheridan Le Fanu (1945)
BILL'S DIARY, by Dwig (Clare Victor Dwig-
 gins) (1945)
**BEST SUPERNATURAL STORIES OF H. P.
 LOVECRAFT** (1945)
LITTLE NEMO IN SLUMBERLAND, by Win-
 sor McKay (1945)
**THE DUNWICH HORROR AND OTHER
 WEIRD TALES**, by H. P. Lovecraft (1945)
SUPERNATURAL HORROR IN LITERATURE,
 by H. P. Lovecraft (1945)
**THE HOUSE ON THE BORDERLAND AND
 OTHER NOVELS**, by William Hope Hodgson
 (1946)
SKULL-FACE AND OTHERS, by Robert E. How-
 ard (1946)
WEST INDIA LIGHTS, by Henry S. Whitehead
 (1946)
CARNACKI THE GHOST-FINDER, by Wil-
 liam Hope Hodgson (1947)
**SOMETHING ABOUT CATS AND OTHER
 PIECES**, by H. P. Lovecraft (1949)
**THE HAUNTER OF THE DARK AND OTHER
 TALES OF HORROR**, by H. P. Lovecraft
 (1951)
**THE SHUTTERED ROOM AND OTHER
 PIECES**, by H. P. Lovecraft & Divers Hands
 (1959)

DREAMS AND FANCIES, by H. P. Lovecraft
(1962)
COLLECTED POEMS by H. P. Lovecraft (1963)
THE DARK MAN AND OTHERS, by Robert E.
Howard (1963)
THE PURCELL PAPERS, by J. Sheridan Le Fanu
(forthcoming)
EVERETT TRUE, by A. D. Condo (forthcoming)

Anthologies / Textbooks

Short stories, poems, and miscellaneous prose by August Derleth have appeared in many anthologies and textbooks, among them the following—

Bat's Belfry, in MORE NOT AT NIGHT, edited by Christine Campbell Thomson (Selwyn & Blount, London, 1925); — in NOT AT NIGHT, edited by Herbert Asbury (Macy-Masius, New York, 1928).

The Coffin of Lissa, in YOU'LL NEED A NIGHT LIGHT, edited by Christine Campbell Thomson (Selwyn & Blount, 1927; — in NOT AT NIGHT, edited by Herbert Asbury (Macy-Masius, 1928).

The Tenant, in FOR DAYLIGHT ONLY, edited by Christine Campbell Thomson (Selwyn & Blount,

1929); — in NOT AT NIGHT OMNIBUS, edited by C. C. Thomson (Selwyn & Blount, 1937).

The Pacer, in SWITCH ON THE LIGHT, edited by Christine Campbell Thomson (Selwyn & Blount, 1930).

Prince Borgia's Mass, in AT DEAD OF NIGHT, edited by Christine Campbell Thomson (Selwyn & Blount, 1931).

The Metronome, in TERROR BY NIGHT, edited by Christine Campbell Thomson (Selwyn & Blount, 1934); — in TALES OF THE UNDEAD, edited by Eleanor Blaisdell (Crowell, 1947); — in BAR THE DOORS, edited by Alfred Hitchcock (Dell Books, 1946, 1962).

Fox in the Winter Night, The Indians Pass, American Portrait: 1877, in CONTEMPORARY AMERICAN MEN POETS (Harrison, 1937).

Wisconsin Come to Age, in THE BEST POEMS OF 1937, edited by Thomas Moulton (Jonathan Cape, London, 1937 / Harcourt Brace & Company, New York, (1937)).

Goodbye, Margery, in THE STORY WORKSHOP, edited by Wilbur L. Schramm (Little Brown & Company, 1938); — in MID COUNTRY, edited by Lowry C. Wimberly (Crowell, 1945); — in AMERICAN COMPOSITION AND RHETORIC, edited by Donald Davidson (Scribner's, 1947).

The Panelled Room, in THE OTHER WORLDS, edited by Phil Stong (Wilfred Funk, 1941); — in VOOR EN NA MIDDERNACHT (*De Kamer met de Panelen*), edited by A. Verhoeff (Elsevier, Amsterdam, Holland, 1949).

Geese Flying South, in PRESENT-DAY STORIES, edited by John T. Frederick (Scribner's, 1941); — in

READING FOR COMPOSITION FROM PROSE MODELS, edited by Donald Davidson and Erwin Glenn (Scribner's, 1942); — in OUT OF THE MIDWEST, edited by John T. Frederick (Whittlesey House, 1944); — in THE CREATIVE READER, edited by R. W. Stallman and R. E. Watters (Ronald Press, 1954).

The Return of Andrew Bentley, in THE OTHER WORLDS, edited by Phil Stong (Wilfred Funk, 1941); — in FAMOUS GHOST STORIES, edited by Bennett Cerf (Random House: The Modern Library, 1944).

Buck in the Bottoms, in THE AMERICAN TRADITION, edited by Wright & Swedenberg (Croft, 1941); — in LITERATURE AND LIFE: Volume II (Scott, Foresman & Company, 1941); — in AMERICA IS WEST, edited by John T. Flanagan (University of Minnesota Press, 1945); — in ALL AROUND THE LAND, edited by William R. Wood and Dorothy Colburn (Lippincott, 1954).

Three Deer Mice, Wind in the Pines, Buck in the Bottoms, in PROSE AND POETRY OF TODAY, edited by Harriet M. Lucas (Singer, 1941).

Brook Sound at Evening, in THE BEST POEMS OF 1941, edited by Thomas Moulton (Jonathan Cape / Harcourt Brace & Company, 1942).

Silence to the Harborers of Past Illusions, in WAR POEMS OF THE UNITED NATIONS, edited by Joy Davidman (Dial Press, 1943).

The Adventure of the Norcross Riddle, in THE MISADVENTURES OF SHERLOCK HOLMES, edited by Ellery Queen (Little Brown & Company, 1944).

A Battle Over the Teacups, in GREAT SPY STORIES, edited by Vincent Starrett (World, 1944); —

in **GOOD TIMES THROUGH LITERATURE**, edited by William S. Gray & Swen Horsman (Scott, Foresman & Company, 1951); — in **CREATIVE LIVING: IV**, edited by M. M. Boyd (Gage, 1954); — in **BEST SHORT SHORTS**, edited by Eric Berger (Tab Books, 1958).

The Bell in the Arbor, in **NOTABLE SHORT STORIES**, edited by Nelson Antrim Crawford (Halde-
man-Julius, 1945).

That Heathen Alonzo, in **OUR FATHER'S HOUSE**, edited by Sister Mariella Gable (Sheed & Ward, 1945).

The Solitary, in **AMERICAN WRITING: 1944**, edited by Alan Swallow & Helen Caulkin (Humphries, 1945).

Night Mail and Whippoorwill, Late Winter Evening, in **THE BEST POEMS OF 1943**, edited by Thomas Moulton (Jonathan Cape / Harcourt Brace & Company, 1944).

The Adventure of the Sotheby Salesman, in **MURDER CAVALCADE**, edited by Ellery Queen (Duell, Sloan & Pearce, 1946).

The Sheraton Mirror, in **THE FIRESIDE BOOK OF GHOST STORIES**, edited by Edward Wagenknecht (Bobbs-Merrill, 1947); — in **AN AMERICAN SHORT-STORY SURVEY**, edited by Roger Penn Cuff (Stackpole & Company, 1953); — in **SPØGELSESHISTORIER FRA HELE VERDEN** (*Sheraton-spejlet*), edited by Tage La Cour (Carit Andersens Forlag, Denmark, 1957).

Cat on the Hearth, in **CATS IN PROSE AND VERSE**, edited by Nelson Antrim Crawford (Coward-McCann, 1947).

Wind in the Pines, in AMERICA THROUGH LITERATURE, edited by Cook, Loban, McDowell, & Stauffer (Harcourt Brace & Company, 1948).

Dusk Over Wisconsin, in AN AMERICAN TREASURY, edited by Hugh Graham (Consolidated Book Publishers, 1949); — in LITERATURE IN AMERICA, edited by Mark A. Neville & Max Herzberg (Rand, McNally & Company, 1958).

The Moon Rose Twice, in THEIR COUNTRY'S PRIDE, edited by Sisters Mary Bede, Donelan, and M. Pascal Campion (Bruce, 1949).

The Adventure of the Purloined Periapt, in FOUR AND TWENTY BLOODHOUNDS, edited by Anthony Boucher (Simon & Schuster, 1950).

The Adventure of the Black Narcissus, in MAIDEN MURDERS, edited by John Dickson Carr (Harper & Brothers, 1952).

What Derleth Expects of Art, in ARE YOU FED UP WITH MODERN ART?, edited by Clarence Canning Allen (Rainbow Press, 1953).

Mrs. Manifold, in THE SUPERNATURAL READER, edited by Groff Conklin (Lippincott, 1953); — in TWISTED, edited by Groff Conklin (Belmont Books, 1962).

Wampum for the Lieutenant, in WATCHTOWERS AND DRUMS (Aladdin Books, 1953).

McIlvaine's Star, in PRIZE SCIENCE FICTION, edited by Donald Wollheim (McBride, 1953).

Murder at the Birthday Party, in MY FAVORITE TRUE MYSTERY, edited by Ernest V. Heyn (Coward-McCann, 1954).

"Who Shall I Say Is Calling?" in HUMAN?, edited by Judith Merrill (Lion Books, 1954).

Contemporary Science Fiction, in READINGS IN COLLEGE COMPOSITION, edited by Linnehan & Partridge (Scribner's, 1954).

The Martian Artifact, in THE BIBLIOPHILE IN THE NURSERY, edited by William Targ (World, 1957).

The Blue Goose, in ALL AROUND AMERICA, edited by Robert C. Pooley, Alfred R. Grommon, & Edyth Daniel (Scott, Foresman & Company, 1959).

The Planetary Arc-Light, in THE GOLDEN YEARS, edited by Melville Cane, John Farrar, Louise Townsend Nicholl (Fine Editions Press, 1960).

Gunter Priell, Eliphas Mife, in JUSTICE AND THE LAW, edited by P. E. Jackson (The Michie Company, 1960).

The Adventure of the Stitch in Time, The Adventure of the Ball of Nostradamus, in THE SCIENCE FICTIONAL SHERLOCK HOLMES (Council of Four, Denver, 1960).

Nicolet, in THE WISCONSIN READER, edited by Doris Platt (State Historical Society of Wisconsin, 1960).

An excerpt from *The Moon Tenders* in VANGUARD, edited by Robert C. Pooley and Others (Scott, Foresman & Company, 1961).

Baynter's Imp, in ALONE BY NIGHT, edited by Don Congdon (Ballantine Books, 1961).

Pewee, Nocturne: Bell Sound, The Spider in the Lamp, in THE GOLDEN QUILL ANTHOLOGY (The Golden Quill Press, 1962).

Publications

Other than books previously listed, August Derleth, as publisher, has brought out these books in editions of from 1500 to 4,000 copies, principally under the imprint of Arkham House—

OUT OF SPACE AND TIME, by Clark Ashton Smith

THE EYE AND THE FINGER, by Donald Wandrei

LOST WORLDS, by Clark Ashton Smith

THE OPENER OF THE WAY, by Robert Bloch

WITCH HOUSE, by Evangeline Walton

THE HOUNDS OF TINDALOS, by Frank Belknap Long

THE DOLL AND ONE OTHER, by Algernon Blackwood

FEARFUL PLEASURES, by A. E. Coppard

THE CLOCK STRIKES TWELVE, by H. Russell Wakefield

SLAN, by A. E. Van Vogt

THIS MORTAL COIL, by Lady Cynthia Asquith

DARK CARNIVAL, by Ray Bradbury

REVELATIONS IN BLACK, by Carl Jacobi

NIGHT'S BLACK AGENTS, by Fritz Leiber

THE TRAVELLING GRAVE AND OTHER STORIES, by L. P. Hartley

THE WEB OF EASTER ISLAND, by Donald Wandrei

THE FOURTH BOOK OF JORKENS, by Lord Dunsany

ROADS, by Seabury Quinn
 GENIUS LOCI AND OTHER TALES, by Clark
 Ashton Smith
 THE THRONE OF SATURN, by S. Fowler
 Wright
 A HORNBOOK FOR WITCHES, by Leah Bo-
 dine Drake
 THE DARK CHATEAU, by Clark Ashton Smith
 TALES FROM UNDERWOOD, by David H.
 Keller
 THE CURSE OF YIG, by Zealia Bishop
 THE FEASTING DEAD, by John Metcalfe
 ALWAYS COMES EVENING, by Robert E.
 Howard
 SPELLS AND PHILTRES, by Clark Ashton Smith
 NINE HORRORS AND A DREAM, by Joseph
 Payne Brennan
 THE ABOMINATIONS OF YONDO, by Clark
 Ashton Smith
 PLEASANT DREAMS, by Robert Bloch
 INVADERS FROM THE DARK, by Greye La
 Spina
 STRAYERS FROM SHEOL, by H. Russell Wake-
 field
 THE WIND OF TIME, by Joseph Payne Brennan
 THE HORROR FROM THE HILLS, by Frank
 Belknap Long
 WHO FEARS THE DEVIL?, by Manly Wade
 Wellman

Films

These stories by August Derleth have been filmed for television—

The Metronome
Mrs. Manifold
The Sheraton Mirror
The Shuttered House
Bishop's Gambit
"Just a Song at Twilight"
Alannah
The Adventure of the Frightened Baronet
Mr. George
The Intercessors (Summer Night)
The Night Light at Vorden's
The Extra Passenger
A Wig for Miss Devore
The Return of Andrew Bentley
Colonel Markesan

Lectures

Among the subjects of occasional lectures by August Derleth are these:

The Problems of a Writer in His Native Place
On Teaching and Creative Writing
On the Use of Local History in Fiction
American Regional Poetry
The Author Looks at the Librarian
The Comics
On Literary Censorship
The Author at Home
Readings in Poetry with Random Remarks on Writing Poetry

Appraisals

Sinclair Lewis—

"August Derleth looks to me like an important national, maybe international, figure. After about four hours with him, maybe twelve or fourteen hours with *Still Is the Summer Night*, I feel that he is a personal friend and I am prepared to go to bat for him. You have in his novel the beginning of a writer of the first importance. When August Derleth talked to me about his *Sac Prairie Saga*, I felt something pretty important in the wind, something that will go far beyond Wisconsin."—in an address delivered before the annual convention of the Wisconsin Education Association, Milwaukee, November 5, 1937.

"When he was very young, he had a notion worthy of a giant, and with gigantic industry he has pursued it: that his Wisconsin village is a microcosm of the whole world. His series of the 'Sac Prairie Saga,' most of them novels, is already formidable. He has not trotted off to New York literary cocktail parties or to the Hollywood studios. He has stayed home and built up a solid work that demands the attention of anybody who believes that American fiction is at last growing up. It is a proof of Mr. Derleth's merit that he makes one want to make the journey and see his particular Avalon: the Wisconsin River shining among its islands, and the castles of Baron Pierneau and Hercules Dousman. He is a champion and a justification of 'regionalism'. Yet he is also a burly, bounding, bustling, self-confident, opinionated, and highly sweated young man with faults so grievous that a melancholy perusal of them may be of more value to

apprentices than a study of his serious virtues. If he could ever be persuaded that he isn't half as good as he thinks he is, if he would learn the art of sitting still and using a blue pencil, he might become twice as good as he thinks he is—which would about rank him with Homer. Faults or not, Mr. Derleth is more interesting than literary pots of far wider notoriety, and I invite you to join me in watching the possibly greater future that is in his own hands, to canonize or kill."—in *Esquire*, November, 1945.

Edgar Lee Masters—

"The great office of poetry is to give delight: that may be its greatest office. Any lesson, any uplifting can come through delight, and perhaps not so well through anything else. The poems of August Derleth will bring delight, and by that fact win forgetfulness from a troubled world for troubled hearts. For in reading these poems, you will walk through a beautiful country with its beauties pointed out and sung by a poet who has an eye for woods and their tenants, for rivers and for hills, for that eternal quiet which settles over pastoral places and fills the heart with vision and with hope."—in the introduction to *Selected Poems*, 1944.

Paul Engle—

"It is an excellent thing for this part of the country to have August Derleth sticking close to it like a hazel burr, keeping his eyes and his hands open and his mouth full of plain, clean words.—in a review of *The Edge of Night*, 1945.

Jesse Stuart—

"These poems have the music of wind over Wisconsin and the beauty of an April plum petal."—in a review of *Selected Poems*, 1944.

Maxwell Geismar—

"To return to the warm and friendly mid-western village world of Sac Prairie, to find it so completely alive again, and so fully projected in our literary annals, is a singularly pleasant experience. What one notices particularly here is the range of emotional moods, from bucolic comedy to lyricism or tragedy, and the kind of familiarity with his material that enables Mr. Derleth to move so casually and yet so surely among all these country scenes and different human relationships. Mr. Derleth has rescued an area of the native heritage from the anonymity of life, and has translated it into the language of literature and of history."—in a review of *Sac Prairie People*, 1948.

John Cournos—

"Something of what Sherwood Anderson did for Winesburg, Ohio, August Derleth has done for Sac Prairie, Wisconsin. There is nothing narrowly regional about Derleth's characters or the author's attitude toward them. The authentic note of the universal rings through all his stories. What is still better, Derleth writes with feeling and with artistic skill which deserves to be noticed in a day when toughness and four-letter words are substituted for art. Derleth's art is delicate, often exquisite, rich with that poetry which alone can deal

with intangibles.”—in a review of *Sac Prairie People*, 1948.

Kenneth Rexroth—

“The significant thing about August Derleth is that everybody likes him. His poetry is far from the greatest, but it has an engaging humanity.”—in a review of *West of Morning*, 1960.

L. V. Jacks—

“Here is a writer who is as nearly a perfect master of his craft as you are likely to find anywhere. Poignant without growing sentimental, expressing truth without becoming sententious, his work also has an inevitable feeling for the somber beauty of nature.”—in a review of *Wisconsin in Their Bones*, in *The Critic*, 1961.

From the Reviews

Country Growth—

“Because of a curious quality of realism, of common experience, *Country Growth* touches the edge of that universality which is the province of the great books.”—Robert Van Gelder in *The New York Times Book Review*.

"Mr. Derleth strikes his happiest vein in these unpretentious but often deeply moving folk tales. When he gives casually of his rich knowledge of village life, August Derleth reveals himself as one of the best equipped and most appealing of our American short-story writers."—James Gray in *The St. Paul Pioneer Press*.

Rind of Earth—

"Certain of these poems not only have flowing theme-moulded rhythm, but close observation and the pulse of life. In a day when so few poets seem to give actual movement of a poem any attention, August Derleth restores an element that was badly needed."—William Rose Benét.

Restless Is the River—

"Faultlessly conceived and flawlessly written, this picturesque story of the builders of Wisconsin spreads gracefully over a wide canvas that is intensely interesting and smacking of life to its furthestmost corners. Mr. Derleth, to whom Wisconsin is home, writes description of his region that brings it to your doorstep. He has, in short, done a remarkable piece of fictional Americana here, one far superior to most of the long historical novels."—*The Philadelphia Inquirer*.

Still Is the Summer Night—

"Far more than a regional story with a vivid background . . . a tale, absorbing enough in itself, and knit with the land . . . by a writer of power."—Zona Gale in *The New York Herald-Tribune*.

"A novel of disturbing beauty . . . something which is bound to push him to a high place in contemporary literature."—*The Richmond News-Leader*.

Evening in Spring—

"A story of first love, told with tenderness and charm. Mr. Derleth relates their experience to everybody's, and makes it seem touching and meaningful besides. Recommended."—*The New Yorker*.

"Mr. Derleth has come commendably close to writing *the* great book of first love as it really is."—*The Washington Star*.

"It's as though he turned back the pages of an old diary and told, with rekindled emotion, of the pangs of pain and the sharp, clear sweetness of a boy's first love. There's a universal appeal about the story, a 'That's-the-way-I-felt' quality that endears it to readers."—*The Chicago Tribune*.

"A wonderful harmony of background and 'premier plan' make of *Evening in Spring* a work of art."—*The Milwaukee Journal*.

Shadow of Night—

"Structurally, it has the perfection of a carved jewel. It is a compelling story, so good, indeed, that I hesitate to give more than a hint of what it is about, for fear of destroying the suspense so subtly created. A psychological novel of the first order, and an adventure tale that is unique and inspiring."—*The Chicago Sun*.

"Superbly realized!"—Phil Stong, in *The Saturday Review of Literature*.

Recommended by the Cardinal Hayes Literature Committee.

Place of Hawks—

"Certainly with this book Mr. Derleth may be added to the American writers of distinction."—*The Detroit News*.

"The style is deliberate, slow-paced and eerie in its effect—these four tragic episodes are told with great sensitivity and an excellent sense of form."—Harry Hansen.

Village Year—

"A book of instant sensitive responsiveness, *Village Year* recreates its scene with acuteness and beauty, and makes an unusual contribution to the Americana of the present day."—*The New York Times Book Review*.

"Derleth has achieved a kind of prose equivalent of the *Spoon River Anthology*. The journal has a special value of its own. If our civilization on this continent were to be rolled under mountains by a great natural catastrophe, an important part of it could be reconstructed out of a book like this."—James Gray in *The St. Paul Dispatch*.

"August Derleth in Sac Prairie, Wisconsin, is the same sort of explorer that Thoreau was in Concord, Massachusetts."—*Nature*.

"Presented with unfailing good humor and that sympathetic understanding which more than anything else marks August Derleth as one of his own people."—*Read*.

"Derleth . . . deepens the value of his village setting

by presenting in full the enduring natural background; with the people projected against this, the writing comes to have the quality of an Old Flemish picture, humanity lively and amusing and lovable in the foreground and nature magnificent beyond."—*The New York Herald-Tribune*.

The Solar Pons Collections—

"This literary descendant of the Master deserves the nostalgic sighs his exploits will bring from most died-in-the-red Baker Street Irregulars. . . . Verdict: good."—*Time*.

"In these chronicles . . . Derleth catches the spirit of the great originals admirably, for he writes con amore as an ardent admirer of the Baker Street specialist and as a scholarly Sherlockian acquainted with every crook and nanny of the Watsonian codex. They are warmly recommended to all and sundry, at once as excellent detective stories in the best tradition and as delightful 'sequels' to the great tales of the Detective and the Doctor."—Vincent Starrett in *The Chicago Tribune*.

"None is more worthy than Pons to wear the deerstalker."—Lenore Glen Offord, in *The San Francisco Chronicle*.

"These stories recall, as nothing else has done, those delicious days and nights on Baker Street, days and nights that have vanished forever."—W. H. McCreary in *The Louisville Journal-Courier*.

"The stories are completely successful; it is like sitting down with an old friend who has been away for a long time, and being brought up to date on his adventures, which is, of course, just what the author in-

tended!"—*The Charleston News-Courier*.

"The inestimable service rendered to lovers of Sherlock Holmes by August Derleth's *Solar Pons* cannot be over-praised."—Kester Svendsen in *The Daily Oklahoman*.

The Steve/Sim Junior Novels—

"*The Moon Tenders* is an adventurous, exciting, and beautiful story for boys and one which older people might read to recapture the spirit and dream of youth."—Jesse Stuart.

"Steve and Sim . . . are twentieth-century cousins of Huck Finn and Tom Sawyer; Derleth's minor characters little gems of comic drawing. The author's gift for capturing summertime in the country, along with his superior characterizations, lifts this novel way above the standard juvenile."—Robert Hood in *The New York Times*.

"In *The Pinkertons Ride Again* Mr. Derleth gives the reader a rousing story which, as usual, bears in addition his distinguishing hallmark: the design of life in a Wisconsin community, drawn with affection and skill."—*The Christian Science Monitor*.

Wisconsin in Their Bones

"Few writers at work in America today have been able to register the heartbeat of a place with the fidelity, skill and warmth that August Derleth has brought to his beloved Sac Prairie. . . . *Wisconsin in Their Bones* is a striking collection. . . . Many of the stories here are very thin slices of life, it is true, but all make a point and make it wonderfully well. They make the point also, I

think, that Derleth is a far more important writer than is generally granted. In him, regional writing has come to something very close to full flower."—Victor Hass in *The Chicago Tribune*.

"It would be a very fine thing if each section of our great nation had so fine a spokesman as August Derleth, and the best stories of each of those spokesmen could be translated into the foreign languages of our greatest critics abroad. . . . His books are real and lasting portraits of mid-America."—*The Arizona Republic*.

Walden West—

"*Walden West* is a book to make Wisconsinites proud of native son and author August Derleth. . . . It might well seem to many a loyal reader that all his previous work has been but preparation for his best effort: *Walden West*. The book has a quiet intensity more effective than a verbal thunderbolt and an unconscious charm more moving than any contrived poignancy could achieve. . . . *Walden West* is a poignant book, and a beautiful one. It is the life of one man and at the same time the life of every man. Its author could well rest his reputation on this volume alone."—Vivian Kawatzky in *The Milwaukee Sentinel*.

"*Walden West* is closer in spirit to certain other writers than to the cosmic Yankee. It is Midwestern in its moods, softer than *Walden*, with prairie wistfulness and river reverie. Its troubled people, with their hidden regrets and surrenders, could walk the streets of Winesburg, Ohio, or lie buried in the Spoon River cemetery. Yet, like *Walden*, Mr. Derleth's honest, observant, reflective book reveals a local world, that is inexhaustible."

—Walter Havighurst in *The New York Times Book Review*.

"*Walden West* is a beautiful book. . . . Derleth writes with a compassion and understanding that uncovers a beauty found only far beneath the surface. *Walden West* is a book that will bear repeated re-reading. It contains some of the most memorable recreations of small town folk since Sherwood Anderson's *Winesburg, Ohio*."—Walter Harding in *The Chicago Tribune*.

"Derleth depicts his Midwestern town with affection, not bitterness; he is a Sinclair Lewis without fangs . . . a Boswell of the Boondocks. One needs to be reminded that America has never been all big city. The village plays its role—and in August Derleth has found a Homer."—George Feinstein in *The Los Angeles Times*.

"A serene and splendid book especially for Thoreauvians but also for all readers who seek a reflective book as an antidote for our turbulent times. Books, nature, music, honest toil, goodness, decency, family life, love and all the things that make life worth living are in these pages. It is one man's testament, but it speaks for Everyman. . . . Mr. Derleth has proved with striking effect in book after book that it is not where you are, or who you are, but *what* you are that determines what you will make of your life."—Victor P. Hass in *The Omaha World-Herald*.

Concord Rebel—

"The handling of the difficult problems of Thoreau's life and the sympathetic understanding of the driving forces in his life are the best yet. It may be aimed at a teen-age audience . . . but I predict that a great many adults

are going to find it the most satisfactory biography of Thoreau yet.”—Walter Harding.

Self-Appraisal

August Derleth believes his best work is to be found in these books—

WALDEN WEST
VILLAGE YEAR
EVENING IN SPRING
COUNTRY GROWTH
SAC PRAIRIE PEOPLE
THE SHIELD OF THE VALIANT
WISCONSIN IN THEIR BONES
VILLAGE DAYBOOK
PLACE OF HAWKS
THE MOON TENDERS

and suggests WISCONSIN EARTH as the best cross-section introduction both to Sac Prairie and to his work.



The honorary Degree of Doctor of Philosophy in Mythos is conferred upon
 ~ August Derleth ~
 This fifteenth day of March Anno Domini nineteen hundred and sixty.
 Thesis: The Seven Cryptic Books of Efan: Their Relationship to the
 Dhol Chants and the Celaeno Fragments.



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